Resolution authorizing the approval of Twenty-four (24) Fiscal Year 2014 U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development funded grant agreements to provide community development services to Franklin County residents

(Economic Development & Planning Department) (\$2,413,807)

WHEREAS, pursuant to Title I of the Housing and Community Development Acts of 1974 and 1977, as further amended, the Grantee has applied for and received Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME funds from the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) to provide community development services to Franklin County residents; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution 108-14 the Franklin County Board of Commissioners adopted the County's 2014 Annual Action Plan to HUD which identifies how the County intends to allocate the HUD funds granted it; and

**WHEREAS**, this resolution approves the allocations cited in the 2014 Action Plan;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

That the attached Funding Agreements and Purchase Orders for community development activities are hereby approved:

## Community Development Block Grant programs/projects:

Housing urgent repair	\$825,000
Elderly & Senior Homeowners Assistance Program	70,000
First-time homebuyers downpayment assistance	100,000
Franklin County Growth Fund	100,000
Respite Connections	35,000
Microenterprise Loan Program	150,000
Business Development	75,000
Fresh Foods Initiative	40,000
Housing Retention Specialist	52,500
Lifecare Alliance – Nutritional Program	35,000
Community Gardens	25,000
Children's Hunger Alliance	25,000
Housing Counseling	15,000
M.O.B.I.L.E	25,000

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Individual Development Accounts	24,000
Housing Advisory Board	10,000
City of Whitehall Street project	74,480
New Front Door Community Shelter*	75,000
Fair Housing Services	80,000
Dress for Success	15,000
Consolidated plan – Community Research Partners	96,002

<sup>\*</sup>The New Front Door Community Shelter allocation is included in the Community Shelter Emergency Solutions Grant contract.

## <u>Home Partnership Projects</u>:

Van Buren Project – Volunteers of America	\$250,000
CHDO Technical Asst Comm. Dev. Collaborative	36,973
CHDO East Columbus Dev. Company	25,000

## Emergency Solutions Grant (homelessness prevention) program:

Community Shelter Board \$154,852

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